GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6393
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LENGTH OF OFC IN ORISSA
BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the total length of Optical Fibre Cable laid in Orissa so far;

(b) whether more OFC is proposed to be laid during the current financial year;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not , the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SHRIMATI S MAHAJAN)

(a) 14,625 Kms of Optical Fibre Cable has been laid so far in Orissa.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) 500 Kms Optical Fibre Cable is proposed to be laid during the current financial year in Orissa.

(d) Does not arise in view of (c) above.